SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 596 By Cooper J

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Laura Elizabeth Aldrich, 2003 Co-Valedictorian of Sequatchie County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Laura Elizabeth Aldrich is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at Sequatchie County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, she has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in Ms. Aldrich's remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and has been involved in many organizations and activities, including the Beta Club, the Cross-Country team, and the Writer's Circle. She has also taken part in ten dramatic productions, showcasing her dramatic talent both on and off stage; and

WHEREAS, Lori Beth's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for future success; she plans to attend Brigham Young University in Idaho; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Aldrich's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve and Laura Aldrich, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Laura Aldrich's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Sequatchie County High School Co-Valedictorian, Laura Beth Aldrich, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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